The Middletown Transcript.

EDWARD REYNOLDS, EDITOR.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 20, 1875.

NEWSPAPER IMPROVEMENT.—The Smyrna *Times* made its appearance on Thursday looking bright and clear in a suit of nice new light-face type. Our neighbor has displayed admirable taste in his selection and his paper shows it. Success to the *Times*.

WHITELOCK'S VEGETATOR.—The reputation of this article among farmers is so high it seems unnecessary to direct attention to the advertisement in our paper. Uniformly valuable as this manure has always been, the proprietors claim what leaves their works the present season will surpass anything they have heretofore produced.

TO CONTRIBUTORS.—"A Scene from the play of 'Moralities.'" by the Odessa Bard, reached us too late for insertion this week, and is in consequence delayed till next week. The writer of "Taken off" must excuse its non-publication, as it would not prove, we fear, generally interesting. "My first sleigh ride" is necessarily declined for the same reason.

The anti-divisionists continually assert that there are only a few malcontents in Wilmington and at Middletown who are in favor of the division of the county, but that the vast majority of the people are opposed to it. Why then are they so fearful of having the measure submitted—as is now proposed in the Legislature—to a vote of the people? If a majority of the people are opposed to it, they will of course vote against it, and if they (the opponents) believe what they say they have nothing to fear, and as they profess to favor "free speech" they ought to be willing to let the people have an opportunity to express their views and wishes.

Local and State Affairs.

Odessa Items.

Streets greatly improved.

Mr. Rhodes is now butchering.

The peach prospect is flattering as yet.

Our first fish wagon was in town on Tuesday.

Our *truckers* and nurserymen have begun work.

Parties are again all the rage among the young folks.

Mr. Jesse Hyatt has made a decided improvement in his side-walk.

White perch have been caught already, which are the forerunners of spring.

The songsters have been with us for a few weeks, as the harbingers of spring.

The creek is free from ice, and the vessels will soon begin their spring trading.

Quite a number of movings are expected on the 25th, some leave town for other places.

The farmers are making preparations for the coming season's work—a majority having hired their laborers.

Paving the streets has been again agitated—and some of the free-holders are somewhat "miffed," on account of the amendment proposed to the by-laws in relation to the same.

The property of Mr. James V. Moore, was sold on Tuesday, Mr. S. Harrington being the purchaser of the "Home" farm, and Mr. McFarlan of the "Hangman" farm, the former selling for $11,900, and the latter for $55 00.

A committee was appointed to donate the funds obtained from the entertainment given for the poor, which donations we learn were confined to those who were owners of real estate (which we suppose is a *strange donation*) for some are greatly in need, who are not the happy possessor of such comforts. We trust they will look further for those in distress.

The ever jolly "Bard of Appoquinimink" visited our place on Tuesday last, and we were amused greatly by his lively flow of fun. We wish him many years of future pleasure and good health, as he gives us from time to time his selections from a goodly collection. We regret not being able to comply with his request in showing up the talent, industrious qualities, &c., of our rising generation. But we will look for the future. HEXICON.

Proceedings of the Legislature.

THURSDAY, March 11th, 1875.

SENATE.—Bills introduced: By Mr. Ray, "in relation to certain classes of persons exercising public employments," providing that keepers of hotels, taverns &c., shall not be obliged by law to furnish refreshments or entertainment to persons when such acts would be offensive to the major part of their customers, and injure their business; by Mr. Riddle, giving to Justices of the Peach the right to impose fines to the amount of $20 in cases of assault and battery; the same, a bill giving to Sheriffs the right to appoint and remove wardens, jailers and others serving under them; by Mr. Causey, a bill to preserve the purity of the ballot, similar to one introduced in the House some weeks ago by Mr. Philips; House bill requiring $150 to be raised annually in district 72 Sussex county; House bill changing the name of a street in Dover.

Bills passed: House bill incorporating the American Tin & Iron Company; House bill supplementing the D. S. Building & Loan Association, of Smyrna, and reviving the Jamison Branch Ditch Company; bill to incorporate Delaware City, amended making the new town government responsible for the obligations of the old.

On motion of Mr. Riddle the vote by which the House bill in relation to capital punishment was indefinitely postponed, was reconsidered. Mr. Riddle introduced a joint resolution to pay James & Webb for binding the revised code of 1874, and providing for the sale of the books by the Prothonotaries at $2.50 per copy. Adopted. House bill to amend chapter 94, vol. 14, was laid on the table. House bill in relation to the fees of the State chemist was indefinitely postponed. The bill relating to tenants under those having dower rights was laid on the table. The bill increasing the fees of Justices of the Peace was indefinitely postponed.

HOUSE.—Bills introduced: By Mr. Pyle, a bill to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors—this is substantially a re-enactment of the old liquor law, doing away with freehold signers and publishing in papers, and requiring the Clerks of the Peace to issue licenses; by Mr. Todd to make taxes a lien upon real and personal property for two years; by Mr. Nowland to incorporate the Middletown Gas Light Company; Senate bill in relation to Justices of the Peace removing from the Hundred for which they were appointed; by Mr. Houston to divide Sussex county into three assessors' districts; by Mr. Baldwin, to amend section 21, chapter 418, vol. 14, making all licenses for the sale of liquors $100; by Mr. Pyle to regulate the building of bridges across mill dams so as to prevent damages by freshets.

Bills passed: To amend chapter 104, R. S.; in relation to district 72, Sussex county; to create an additional Notary Public for Sussex county; Senate amendment to the charter of the Pocomoke Improvement Co.

Mr. Nowland offered a resolution to have 300 copies of the bill to promote Internal Improvements printed for the use of the Legislature, and addressed the House in favor of his resolution. Mr. Houston opposed it, but it was adopted by a vote of 13 to 8. A resolution requesting the Senate to return the joint resolution adopted by the House to adjourn on the 20th inst. was adopted, and the resolution laid on the table. The Senate joint resolution to pay James & Webb for binding the Revised Code, and providing for the distribution of the same was concurred in. Mr. Pyle presented a memorial from the officers of a public meeting in Wilmington against the division of the county. Read and referred.

FRIDAY, March 12th.

SENATE.—Bills introduced: By Mr. Riddle, to provide for incorporation by the Courts for religious, charitable, literary and manufacturing purposes, for the preservation of animal and vegetable food, for Building & Loan Associations and for draining lowlands; by Mr. Shakespeare, further supplementing the act extending the time for recording deeds; House bills amending the supplement to chapter 104, R. S., and for the protection of mill property from ice, freshets &c.

Bills passed: To incorporate the Brokenbrick Creek Ditch Company; bill relating to tenants under persons having dower rights; House bill amending the act for the protection of married women; bill to change the name of a street in Dover.

Mr. Ray's bill for the protection of hotel keepers &c. was laid on the table for future consideration. Mr. Ray gave notice of a bill authorizing the State Treasurer to issue fourteen $1000 bonds for the renewal of a like number of Delaware College bonds now due.

HOUSE.—Notice of new bills was given as follows: By the Speaker, to enable the citizens of New Castle county to express an opinion on the subject of county division; to amend chapter 125, R. S.; to supplement chapter 42, R. S. in relation to free schools; by Mr. Wilds in reference to the duties of Levy Courts; to incorporate the Delaware Construction Company; to regulate the publishing of statements of savings banks and in relation to taking securities of offices in Wilmington.

Bills introduced: To prevent obstructions in the Delaware river; to protect the harbor of New Castle; repeal section 2, chapter 60, vol. 11; Senate amendment to House bill in regard to the streets of Delaware City.

Bill passed: Senate bill to amend chapter 91, R. S. extending the term of the Superior Court of New Castle county, for criminal business, one week longer.

MONDAY, March 15.

SENATE.—Bills introduced: To amend chapter 36, vol. 14; to allow parties to civil suits to be witnesses in their own behalf; House bill to amend chapter 125, R. S.; to amend chapter 42, R. S.; to amend chapter 443, R. S.

Bills passed: For the benefit of the indigent deaf and dumb, and indigent blind; relating to the duties of Sheriffs.

A motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill to increase the fees of Justices of the Peace was indefinitely postponed, was made and lost. Petitions were presented praying for an appropriation to the Delaware Historical Society and from colored men asking the privilege of taxing themselves for school purposes.

HOUSE.—Bills introduced: To amend chap. 102, vol. 3.—making the town charter of New Castle conform to the city charter, and making provision for fees for ther harbor master; to increase the percentage to tax collectors from 6 to 8; in relation to tax collectors making it legal for them to refuse to give receipts to any other than the party assessed.

Bills passed: Taxing dogs in Kent county; divorcing Robert and Ann E. Davis; Senate bill in relation to tax liens.

The bill abolishing the Wilmington Registry Bureau was lost. At 4:35 the House went into Committee of the Whole on the free school bill. Considerable debate was made and the following amendments adopted; making the Secretary of State a member of the State Board of Education instead of the Governor, and making the salaries of the Superintendents $700 instead of $1300

TUESDAY, March 16.

SENATE.—Bills introduced: By Mr. Fiddeman, to amend the State Constitution, prohibiting the giving of State Aid; by the Speaker to amend chapter 418, vol. 14, and to incorporate the Indian River and Rehoboth Oyster Planting Company.

Bills passed: House bill to amend chap. 414, Vol. 14; to amend chap. 96, R S., authorizing Justices of the Peace to inflict fines, in cases of assault and battery, to the amount of $120: to amend chap. 42, R. S.; to establish the weight of oats in Delaware.

The bill to regulate the building of bridges over mill-dams, was indefinitely postponed; as was also the bill to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace over $100.

HOUSE.—Bills introduced: Senate bill for the benefit of the indigent deaf and dumb and blind; Senate bill in relation to the duties of sheriffs; bill in relation to the public roads of Kent co.; bill making it possible for the U. S. to obtain and have jurisdiction over sites for lighthouses on the coast of Delaware; by Mr. Pyle, describing the manner in which securities shall be taken for officers in the city of Wilmington; requiring the publication of the statements of savings banks and insurance companies; giving the City Council of Wilmington power to change the course of the Brandywine, between its mouth and Market street Bridge.

Bills passed: To renew the charter of the Aged Women's Home, of Wilmington; to incorporate the Middletown Gas Light Co.; to allow school districts 39 and 41, N. C. Co., to raise annually $1000, for school purposes; to incorporate the Drawbridge Packing Co., and Seminole Tribe, No. 7, I. O. R. M.; to create an additional Justice of the Peace and Notary Public for Kenton Hd.

Mr. Houston reported back the State Aid bill with an amendment making the proposed loans fall due on January 1, 1900, which was adopted. An amendment offered by Mr. Voshell to reserve to the State the right to regulate the charges of the companies it is proposed to aid was lost by a vote of 8 to 13. On motion of Mr. Nowland the bill was made the special order for next morning at 11 o'clock. The bill to divide Sussex co., into three assessment districts was lost. Remonstrances against the division of the county were presented, and petitions for the passage of the bill to establish a State Work House.

WEDNESDAY, March 17.

SENATE.—Bills introduced: By Mr. Ray, to authorize the State Treasurer to issue 14 $1000 State Bonds for Delaware College to renew the same number of bonds now due; House bill for an additional Justice of the Peace for Kenton Hd., to reside at Clayton; House bill to repeal the act ceding certain lands to the United States for light-house purposes; to amend chap. 418, Vol. 14—liquor law.

Bills passed: To amend chap. 125, R. S., increasing the fees of the Secretary of State; House bill to amend chap. 91; R. S.; House bill to incorporate the Tasker Telegraph Co.; to amend chap. 36, Vol. 14, allowing the Attorney General $550 to pay his deputy.

Mr. Riddle introduced a joint resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow money from time to time to meet the State expenses. Adopted.

HOUSE.—Bill introduced: Senate bill amending chap. 443, Vol. 13.

Bills passed: Bill ceding to the U. S. title to certain lands on the Delaware coast for light-house purposes; to amend Odessa's charter; to prevent obstruction in the Delaware river; to remove the coal wharf of the New Castle & Frenchtown R. R. Co., at New Castle; to amend chap. 13, R. S.

The Railroad Aid bill was taken up, and after considerable discussion and animated debate, was passed by a vote of 11 to 10. The bill to establish a State Work House and to incorporate the Aids Savings Bank (colored) were lost.

[Correspondence.]

Social Hop.

The party which was to have been given at Mr. John Wilson's on the evening of Friday, March 5th, was postponed on account of the bad weather, to Thursday evening, the 11th, at which time a number of ladies and gentlemen were gathered in Mr W's parlors where a pleasant evening was spent in "tripping on the light fantastic" to excellent music, by Price's Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. George Price.

It were useless for a bachelor to attempt to draw a picture of the scene, or to single out *one* out of the host of pretty ladies gathered there as the belle of the evening. All were belles. The entire affair under the excellent management of the committee of arrangements was conducted in an admirable manner. The dancing was kept up till the "we sma' hours beyant the twa," but at last it came to an end and the tired dancers returned to their homes, much gratified with the evening's pleasure. WHIT.

The full vote of the State of New Hampshire foots up as follows: For Governor—Cheney 30,285, Roberts 30,163, White 754: total vote 79,202; Cheney over Roberts 122. For Congressmen—First district, Whitehouse, republican, 13,619; Jones, democrat, 14,004; scattering 326; Jones's plurality 385. Second district, Pike, republican, 12,936; Bell, democrat, 13,083; scattering 202; Bell's plurality 147. Third district, Blair, republican, 12,388; Kent, democrat, 12,181; scattering 163; Blair's plurality 207.

From Mauch Chunk to Easton, Pa., on the Lehigh river, a distance of 48 miles, there are eight large dams, and two thirds of the distance is covered with ice averaging forty inches in thickness. The recent fine weather lessens the fears of a freshet, but should the ice suddenly break up much property will be destroyed.

A large body (2000) of colored laborers of Washington proceeded by a band of music went to the President's house on Monday to complain of the misuse of funds appropriated by Congress to the use of the District, by the Commissioners, but the President refused to see them. *Theory vs. Practice.*

Hon. John Hickman, ex-member of Congress, is reported to be dangerously ill at his residence at West Chester.

Business Locals.

No. 1, 2, and 3 Mackerel in barrels, half barrels, and quarters; New Split Labrador and Eastport Herring in barrels and half barrels; Codfish and Smoked Bloaters just received and for sale by S. M. REYNOLDS.

White Mercer Potatoes, at
S. M. REYNOLDS'.

2000 lbs. Rock Salt, 500 sacks Dairy Salt, and 100 boxes fine pulverized Salt for table use in store and for sale by
S. M. REYNOLDS.

Special Notices.

Whence this great commotion the country through, among the Alcoholic Bitter-mongers? They stand aghast at an innovation on their privilege of making drunkards of the sick.—A competitor has come into the field with which they cannot contend. Dr. J. Walker's CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS, the undefiled essence of the most efficacious vegetable tonics and alteratives in the world, is driving all the *still-born* nostrums of King Alcohol to the wall. There is no disease, internal or external, in which it is not beneficially administered.

All who want a good SEWING MACHINE and having the CASH to pay for it, will have inducements offered them at the Great Sewing Machine Depot of A. T. STOOPS, N. E. Cor. Fourth and Arch St., Phila., they can get at no other Sewing Machine place in this city. All kinds of needles, oil, silk, cotton, linen thread, &c., low for cash.
Old Machines taken in exchange, and parties allowed liberally for them.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. Parties wishing the prescription will please address
REV. E. A. WILSON,
194 Penn St., Williamsburgh, N. Y.
Dec 12–6m.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
Dec 12–6m. 42 Cedar st., New York.

The American Newspaper Advertising Agency of Geo. P. Rowell & Co., New York, is the only establishment of the kind in the United States which keeps itself persistently before the people *by advertising in newspapers*. They evidently receive their reward, for we have it from reliable source that advertising orders issued by them for their customers have exceeded three thousand dollars a day since the commencement of the year *and this is not a very good year for advertising either.*

MARRIED.

LINDSAY—BRISCOE.—In Philadelphia, March 9, by the Rev. Bishop Scott, Melville Lindsay, of Brooklyn, N. Y., to Eloise, daughter of the late Dr. William Briscoe, of Odessa, Del. No cards.

THE MARKETS.

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY COX & JONES.

Wheat,	$1.18 @ 1.20
Corn, yellow, new	74 cts.
Corn, White, new	72 cts
Oats	60 "
Timothy Seed	4 25
Clover "	5 50@5.75
Beans	75@90

MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY S. M. REYNOLDS.

Eggs	25 cts. @ doz
Butter	35@40 cts. @ lb
Lard	16@17 " "
Potatoes	1 00@1.25 @ bus.
Chickens, dressed	15@16cts. @ lb.
Turkeys, dressed	16@18 "
Geese, "	7@8 "
Ducks, "	14@15 "

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

Prime red wheat	1 24@$1.25 @ bus.
Corn, yellow, old	80@81 @ bus.
Oats (Pennsylvania) new	65@68 cts.
Cloverseed	9¾ @ 11 @ lb.
Timothy	3.25

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

Wheat, good to amber	1.28@$1 30
Corn, white	81@83
Corn, yellow	80@80
Oats, Southern	68@72 cts.
Rye	1 00@1 02

New Advertisements.

Membrino & Abdallah Stallion

SLASHER.

SLASHER, bay, 16 hands, 5 years old, sired by Ashland, son of Mambrino Chief. 1st dam, Young Peach Blossom, by Van Sicklen's Abdallah, son of Old Abdallah, 2d dam, Peach Blossom, by Mambrino, Jr., son of Old Mambrino, 3d dam, Nostrand mare, by imp. Bellfounder, will make the season of 1875, at Odessa, Del., Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays; at St. Georges, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

Hambletonian & Patchen Stallion

DUNLAP.

DUNLAP, bay, 16 hands, 5 years old, sired by Knickerbocker, son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian; dam, the Lemmon mare, by Paul Clifford, son of Vermont Black Hawk, (sire of Ethan Allen) Paul Clifford's dam by Young Hambletonian; Knickerbocker's 1st dam Lady Patchen by George M. Patchen (the sire of Lucy) 2d dam by Old Abdallah, 3d dam by May Day son of Henry. Dunlap will make the season of 1875 at my stable, near St. Georges, Del., Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays; at Summit Bridge, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

Slasher and Dunlap were awarded the *two first* premiums over thirteen other stallions at the Peninsula Agricultural Exhibition held at Middletown, Del., September 1874.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS 1875.

I will give the following premiums for the best colts by Slasher and Dunlap. Season of 1874.

1st premium of $20.00 for the best colt by Slasher, foaled 1875.
2d premium of $10.00 for the 2d best colt by Slasher, foaled 1875.
1st premium of $20.00 for the best colt by Dunlap, foaled 1875.
2d premium of $10.00 for the 2d best colt by Dunlap, foaled 1875.

These premiums to be awarded by the Committee on colts at the Exhibition of the Peninsula Agricultural and Pomological Association, at Middletown, Del., October 5, 6, 7 and 8th, 1875, at which time the colts must be exhibited.

TERMS.—40.00 to insure; $20.00 by season. For tabulated pedigrees or other particulars, address THOS. J. CRAVEN,
St. Georges, Del.
Or F. D. NORRIS,
31 DeKalb Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mar. 20–2m.

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscribers will sell at Public Sale, on the farm of Mrs. Susan Foard, at St. Augustine, Cecil county, Md., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1875,

commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M., sharp, the following property, to-wit:

2 good Work or Driving Horses, 1 pair of Superior Mules, 2 very fine cows, 6 Shoats.

Farming Utensils.—1 Grain Fan, 1 Clipper Mower, 1 iron-axle Farm Wagon, 1 Mill Wagon, 1 York Carriage, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Hoes, Shovels, Forks, Harness, &c. Also, several tons of Good Hay, to be fed on the farm; Several Cords of Wood; One-Half Interest in 24 Acres of Wheat in the ground, together with other things not here enumerated. All articles bought must be settled for and removed on the day of sale.

TERMS:—All sums of $20 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of six months will be given, by purchaser giving negotiable note with approved endorser, interest added.
E. R. COCHRAN,
CHARLES P. WILSON.
S. M. ENOS, Auct.

REPORT
OF THE
Middletown Hall Company

From March 14th, 1874, to March 14th, 1875:

RECEIPTS.

Received from Rents	$1,741 15
" " Main Hall	151 50
	$1,892 65

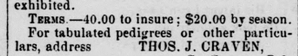
EXPENDITURES.

Loan paid Treasurer for cash advanced	$1,267 90
Other Loans paid	150 00
Discount on Loans	23 09
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages	960 00
Taxes paid	147 00
Sundry bills paid	48 73
Paid Janitor for year 1874	40 00
Bal. paid Janitor due from 1873	15 00
Bal. in hands of Treasurer, March 14, 1875	240 93
	$1,892.65

We the undersigned committee appointed to examine the account and vouchers of J. R. Hall, Treasurer, hereby report, we find them correct. Showing balance in Treasurer's hands, March 13th, 1875, to be $240,93.
J. H. SCOWDRICK, }
A. G. COX, } Committee.
J. R. Hall, Treasurer.
Mar 20—1t

CARRIAGE AND HARNESS
BAZAAR,
J. & W. Merrick

Will have their first Public Sale of Carriages, Harness and Horses, at their Carriage and Harness Bazaar,



[Between French and Walnut Sts.,]

Wilmington, Del.

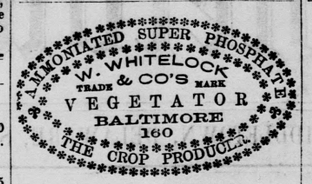
WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 14, 1875,
At 10 o'clock.

Our Public Sales will be continued every Wednesday and Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, comprising nearly 200 Carriages, well selected, good assortment, of various kinds and of the best manufactures of our city and elsewhere; with a large assortment of Single and Double Harness, and some

30 HEAD OF GOOD HORSES,

Through the large experience of the senior member of the firm in the Carriage Manufacture, together with buying everything for cash, they are enabled to sell at the most reasonable prices, and give satisfaction in every transaction. We will constantly keep the latest and most fashionable styles in our stock. Always on hand, a large assortment of Carriages and Harness at Private Sale or exchange for second-hand work. We will at any time, buy or advance cash on Carriages, Harness, &c., or sell on Commission. Consignments solicited.
Mar 20—ts J. & W. MERRICK.

New Advertisements.



Whitelock's Vegetator,

A Perfect Manure for

GARDEN VEGETABLES,
CORN, TOBACCO,
POTATOES, OATS.

NO REDUCTION IN QAULITY.
NO COMMON MATERIAL USED.

$4.00 Per Bag.

Fifty Dollars per Ton.

Always Uniform in Quality!

SURE TO PRODUCE A CROP!

We ask farmers to test its value by the side of any manure they may apply.
W. WHITELOCK & CO.,
44 South Street,
March 20–3m. BALTIMORE.

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber will sell at Public Sale, at his residence in Fieldsborough, Del.,

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1875,

Commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m, the following described property: 6 Head of HORSES, suited to the road and farm; 3 pairs of fine Mules, 1 Yearling Colt, 10 Milch Cows, of very superior stock, of fine size and first-rate milkers; 2 Yearling Calves, 7 Shoats, of good stock.

Also, Farming Utensils, consisting of 2 good Farm Wagons, 1 Peach Wagon, 1 Peach Bed with Springs, to carry 54 baskets of peaches, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Grain Fan, 1 Pennington Reaper, 1 Cutting Box, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Hoes, Spades, Shovels and Forks, together with Wagon Harness, Plow Gears, Single Trees, Double Trees, &c. Also, Hay in the stack, Peach Baskets by the hundred, and a small lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture.

TERMS.—All sums of $20 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of six months will be given, by purchaser giving negotiable note with approved endorser, interest added.
ALEXANDER FLEMING,
Agent for Wm. Polk.
S. M. Enos, Auct. mar 20-1t

TO MAKE ENOUGH MONEY

Read Every Word

in the next three months to keep you a year, any unemployed persons between the ages of 16 to 60 should take an agency for THE ILLUSTRATED WEEKLY, a large, sparkling, literary and family paper, ($2-50 a year) pure, instructive, and amusing; half of its pages full of beautiful pictures, and the other half containing the choicest reading matter. JAMES PARTON contributing editor. Like the great English paper, the *London Illustrated News*, it is *highly moral*, but entirely unsectarian and non-political. During a year it furnishes over 1,100 pictures, and the equal of 9 large octavo volumes of reading matter. IT GIVES AWAY, extra each week, a large engraving, (52 in a year), size, 17 x 24 inches. These are exquisite *fac-similes* of the finest steel engravings, on heavy tinted paper, with margins suitable for framing, and are *truly a fine art gallery every year.* Besides, each subscriber is presented with the chromo, "Gold Fish, Fruits and Flowers," size 2 x 2¼ feet, in 27 oil colors, painted by Ramsey. Not only the largest and finest premium ever given, but the most wonderfully beautiful chromo ever produced. It is just the paper for which everybody has been waiting—larger and finer than any other, at half the usual cost. *Its success* (nearly 1000 subscribers a day being received) proves this. So complete, so progressive, so full of useful as well as entertaining matter is this paper, that we venture to assert that to every thinking, observant American, a years' subscription (costs $2.50) is, in actual, useful value, worth fifty dollars. AGENTS.—This combination is unequalled. It is an *instantaneous and pronounced success* Every good American takes at least one paper, of course. He takes this paper because (1) it is the nicest, new est and best; (2) it is the cheapest—giving a great bargain—and thus suits the hard times. It sells itself. Be quick, if you want an agency. This time of the year any agent can make from $10 to $20 per day. Send three stamps for specimens and liberal terms, with reports from agents, subscribers, and press notices; or, better yet, to save time, send $3.50 at once for a complete outfit, and make $100 while you would otherwise be waiting. You are sure to take hold anyhow. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfied, or if the territory you want is already occupied. Address all orders for specimens, subscriptions, or outfits to T. E. MOORE, Publisher "The Illustrated Weekly," P. O. Box 5480, No. 11 Dey St. N. Y.
Mar 20-4t.

NOTICE.

I hereby warn all persons from crossing or trespassing in any manner on the farm of the late John Alston (where I now reside). Any person disregarding this notice will be dealt with according to law. W. P. NORRIS.
Mar. 20, 1875–3t.

FOR RENT.

A Store and dwelling on High Street, in Odessa, Delaware. The dwelling house has seven rooms. Has a good large garden attached, pump at the door, ample yard and all other conveniences. The S ore is about 24 x 18—large cellar. Will rent both together or either seperately.
JNO. C. ARMSTRONG,
ADM. OF WM. M. ARMSTRONG.
Mar. 20–1m.

STOLEN.

From the sheds of the National Hotel, Middletown, Del., on Wednesday evening, March 10th, a small BAY MARE, having a white spot in one eye, and white mane, from having been rubbed by the collar, also a small one-seat CARRIAGE, one spoke in the near front wheel split and wrapped with twine A liberal reward will be paid for the return of the above property, or for any information that will lead to its recovery. G. R. STILES,
mar 13–2w. Murphey's Mills.

NEWPORT PLASTER MILL.

I am now grinding and have for sale LAND PLASTER,
the purity of which I guarantee. Can furnish large or small quantities at short notice and low figures. J. A. CRANSTON,
Feb 13–tjun1. Newport, Del.

NOTICE.

The co-partnership of Cox & Jones was not dissolved by the death of Mr. Cox, but under a provision in the will of the latter it will continue until January 1, 1876, and the business will be conducted in the firm name until that date.
Jan. 30—1m, COX & JONES.

GRANGERS, TAKE NOTICE!

Pure Ground Raw Bone and all the ingredients for manufacturing Phosphate, furnished to Grangers at wholesale prices. Orders and inquiries by mail promptly attended to.
J. A. CRANSTON,
Feb 43–t jun1. Newport, Del.

NOTICE.

The Third Series of Stock of the Mutual Loan Association for sale at $1.00 per share, first payment March 16, 1875.
A. G. COX,
Feb. 20—tf. Secretary.

RAN AWAY

From the subscriber, in Odessa, Del., on the 8th inst., ELIZABETH LEWIS, an apprenticed colored girl about 15 years old. All persons are forbid trusting her on my account.
W A. HUKILL.
Odessa, Del., Feb. 20, 1875.—2t

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of J. H. SCOWDRICK & CO., are hereby respectfully requested to call and settle their accounts on or before the 1st of January, 1875, and save costs. M. E. WALKER,
Dec. 19–tf. Assignee.

Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

GRAND OPENING

FOR

SPRING,

1875.

Having reorganized and replenished our various Departments, we invite special attention of town and country buyers to the unusually complete and attractive stock of

HOSIERY,

GLOVES, NOTIONS,

DRESS TRIMMINGS,

RIBBONS, SHAWLS,

SKIRTS,

AND DRESS GOODS

IN ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES OF PLAIN, TWILLED AND PLAID SUITINGS.

By purchasing in *large quantities*, we were enabled to obtain *exclusive control in this town* of the popular Collingwood brand of

BLACK ALPACAS,

Which for lustre and finish are unequaled by any other brand in the market. Prices—25, 31, 37½, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 75, 80 and 90 cts. per yard.

With the advantage of buying direct from manufacturers and importers, thereby saving the large item of commission charges, we are prepared to distribute these goods to our customers at wholesale prices. In addition to which we offer, *below the market rates of the day*, a large line of all the leading Staple and Domestic Goods purchased at the low prices at the close of last season, among which we will name

WAMSUTTA MUSLINS,

In 5, 10, 15, and 20 yard pieces, at the low price of 14 cents per yard, CASH.

7000 yards of the best makes of Prints, at 9 and 10 cents per yard.

350 doz. Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton, 6 cts. per spool, 70 cts. per dozen.

Having made arrangements with the leading manufacturers of the Peninsula, we are receiving from them ALL-WOOL SPRING

CASSIMERES,

(slightly imperfect), which we will sell at the low rate of 80 CENTS per yard, the regular price of which is $1.25 per yard.

A full line of

INGRAIN, HEMP AND RAG

CARPET,

FLOOR AND TABLE

OIL CLOTHS,

All widths and newest patterns;

Ladies', Misses' and Children's

BUTTON AND LACE SHOES,

In Kid, Morocco and Lasting, of all the latest styles, manufactured exclusively for our trade, and every pair warranted. Also, Sausser's celebrated make of

CALF BOOTS,

And Button and Congress Gaiters, for men's and boys' wear.

IN GROCERIES,

A full stock of Sugars, Syrups, Molasses, Laguayra, Rio and Java Coffee, Teas, Spices, Canned Goods, Provisions, &c., will always be found fresh and new.

WE NEVER ADVERTISE AN ARTICLE THAT WE DO NOT HAVE FOR SALE.

S. M. REYNOLDS.

March 6th, 1875.

Wilmington Advertisements.

SPECIAL.

820 & 822 MARKET ST., MASONIC TEMPLE

We beg to call the attention of buyers to one of

THE MOST ATTRACTIVE STOCK OF DRY GOODS,

Ever displayed in this city, comprising the leading brands in

STAPLE AND FANCY DRESS GOODS, SILKS, LINENS, WHITE GOODS, LACES, SHAWLS, HOSIERY, NOTIONS, GLOVES, WOOLEN FABRICS, FANCY ARTICLES, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, CARPETS, UPHOLSTERY GOODS, &c., &c.,

Which from Superiority of Manufacture, Durabilty of Texture, controlled by an advanced and increasing Excellence of Taste, with the reputation for Reliability, in connection with the most celebrated sources of supply, must attract the critical attention of

THE BEST CLASS OF BUYERS.

The lines are full in every variety in all the Popular Brands, so favorably received in past seasons, embracing an assortment seldom equalled, and never surpassed. As heretofore, we shall seek to place before our customers

FABRICS OF INTRINSIC VALUF,

And invite an inspection of the Stock which represents the productions of some of the best looms of the world.

GRANVILLE WORRELL.

WILMINGTON, DEL., October 20th, 1874.

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FINE READY-MADE CLOTHING

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING,

ON HAND, MADE UP IN THE LATEST STYLE AND BEST MANNER. ALSO, A GREAT VARIETY OF

PIECE GOODS, for Order Work.

Apr 22—1y 228 MARKET ST. Wilmington, Del.

FASHIONS! Smith's illustrated Pattern Bazaar

SELLS Patterns of them. Only 31.10 a year, with Premium. See Below!! (Over-shirt.)

3205 Ladys' Coat—Very neat in Ratine, Linen or Camel's-hair. Pattern with Cloth Model, 25 cents.

3123. Ladies' Waist—Very stylish for street suits.—Pattern with Cloth Model, 25 cents.

3201. Ladies' Waist—Some entirely new.—Very desirable.—Pattern with Cloth Model, 25 cents.

3210. Miss's Waist—Becoming to any figure. In any goods. Pattern with Cloth Model, 25 cts.

2504. For spring and summer goods—all the rage. Pattern with Cloth Model, 50 cents.

3114 Polonaise—Very stylish in the new goods. Pattern with Cloth Model, 50 cents.

We give a perfect CLOTH MODEL with every pattern, which shows just how to put the garment together, after being cut by the pattern. They are PERFECT GUIDES.

Any Pattern on this page mailed on receipt of marked price.

Smith's "Instant Dress Elevator." This CUT shows the Upper Part of the Skirt (wrong side out), with the "Elevator" fixed in. You can raise your skirt while passing a muddy place, and then let it fall, or you can keep it raised. It leaves the skirt from the Filth. It Loops Dress in a Tasteful and Fashionable Manner. It draws all the fullness to the back, making the "straight front." It Saves more than Ten Times its Cost. It can be changed from One Dress to another. Price, 45 cents each.

GREAT OFFER!

Those who send to A. Burdette Smith, New Year's Subscription ($1.10) for his "BAZAAR" THIS MONTH, will get 2 their Choice of TWO of the above Patterns, and "Smith's Instant Dress Elevator," mailed to them FREE as THEIR PREMIUM! OR he will send you a certificate which will entitle you to select your premium at any time.

GET UP A CLUB!

GOLD COIN! We shall give away $2,135.00 in GOLD COIN to YOU People who get up the largest Clubs for the "BAZAAR" between NOW and First of AUGUST. The person who gets up the LARGEST CLUB will get $250.00. Next largest, $200.00. Next largest, $150.00. Next, $100.00, etc. We gave $1,350.00 in Gold on last BAZAAR to 50 persons, whose names and addresses will be found in the BAZAAR, with the number that each one sent. Get a copy. Sample copy, mailed for 25 cents. SMITH'S INSTRUCTION BOOK, or, Secrets of Dress-making, 10 cents a year. Catalogue mailed for one stamp. Address, very plain,

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